## **Amendments to the Claims**

Please amend the claims as follows:

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(currently amended) A system for onsite backup of internet-based data comprising:

a central computer;

a client computer;

a communications link between said central computer and the

Internet;

a communications link between said client computer and the Internet;

at least one database containing a plurality of data records accessible by said central computer, each data record containing a client identification number;

software executing on said central computer for receiving a data backup request;

software executing on said central computer for transmitting said data backup to said client computer for onsite backup of internet-based data on said client computer.

- 2. (currently almended) The system of claim 2 1 further comprising of software executing on said client computer for storing said data backup in a location accessible to said client computer.
- 3. (original) The system of claim 2 further comprising of software executing on said central computer for retrieving said data backup.

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- 4. (currently amended) A system for onsite backup of internet-based data comprising:
  - a central computer;
  - a client computer;
  - a communications link between said central computer and the Internet;
  - a communications link between said client computer and the Internet;
- at least one database containing a plurality of data records accessible by said central computer, each data record containing a client identification number;
- software executing on said central computer for receiving commands from said client computer;
- software executing on said central computer for receiving data from said client computer;
- software executing on sàid central computer for storing said received data in said database;
- software executing on said central computer for generating a data backup request form;
- software executing on said central computer for transmitting said data backup request form through the internet;
- software executing on said central computer for receiving a reply to said data backup request form;
- software executing on said central computer for transmitting said data backup to said client computer <u>for onsite backup of internet-based data on said client computer</u>.
- 5. (original) The system of claim 4 further comprising of software executing on said client computer for storing said data backup in a location accessible to said client computer.

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- 6. (original) The system of claim 4 further comprising of software executing on said central computer for retrieving said data backup.
- 7. (currently amended) A system for onsite backup of internet-based data comprising:
  - a central computer;
  - a client computer;
  - a communications link between said central computer and the Internet;
  - a communications link between said client computer and the Internet;
- at least one database containing a plurality of data records accessible by said central computer, each data record containing a client identification number;

software executing on said central computer for receiving commands from said client computer, for receiving data from said client computer, and for storing said data in said database;

software executing on said central computer for receiving a data backup request and for receiving a data format conversion request;

software executing on said central computer for retrieving said data from said database and for converting said data to a format corresponding to said data format conversion request;

software executing on said central computer for encrypting said data backup; software executing on said central computer for transmitting said data backup to said client computer for onsite backup of internet-based data on said client computer; and

software executing on said client computer for decrypting said data backup.

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- 8. (original) The system of claim 7 further comprising of software executing on said client computer for storing said data backup in a location accessible to said client computer.
- 9. (original) The system of claim 7 further comprising of software executing on said central computer for retrieving said data backup.

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